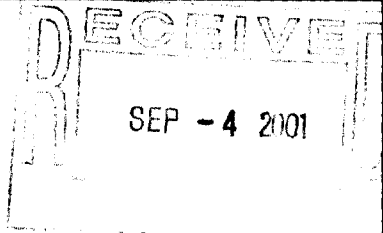


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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Silicon Gaming, Inc., a California corporation, hereby assigns to IGT, a Nevada corporation having a place of business at 9295 Prototype Drive, Reno, Nevada, its successors and assigns, its entire right, title and interest in the invention disclosed in the patent application entitled "Improved Electronic Gaming Apparatus," filed in the U.S. Patent Office on May 28, 1997 as U.S. Serial No. 09/864,700 and refiled in the U.S. Patent Office on September 29, 2000 as U.S. Serial No. 09/677,129, and in any and all other patent applications, both U.S. and foreign, for the invention disclosed in said patent applications, and in any and all patents, both U.S. and foreign, which may be obtained on any of said applications, and in any reissue or extension thereof.

SILICON GAMING, INC.

By: 

Sara Beth Brown, Esq.
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